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Speech of Seator Brown Yesterday

IN SUPPORT OF HIS RESOLUTION.

Reasons Why the War Tax Should be Lifted
From the Shoulders of the People—
Other Congressional News.

WASHINGTON, January 9.—[Special.]—Senator Brown, at the opening of the session after the recess, introduced the following resolution:

"Resolved, that the practice of the government of the United States, to collect for the first three quarters of a century of its existence, when it collected the revenue necessary to its support at the ports or other boundaries of our territory by tariff, except in cases of war, or other great emergency, except internal revenue laws or other laws imposing a direct tax, we are liberating annually portions of the national tax system, and in turn, from them a growing fund, still further to release the means of recourse to extraordinary resources."

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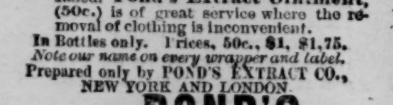
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ATLANTA, GA., January 10, 1888.

The Cotton Movement.

The New York Financial Chronicle, in its weekly review of the cotton movement, says that for the week ending last Friday, the total receipts have reached 150,308 bales, against 188,824 bales last week, 202,850 bales the previous week and 213,002 bales three weeks since, making the total receipts since the 1st of September, 1887, 4,144,868 bales against 3,014,842 bales for the same period of 1886-7, showing an increase since September 1, 1887, of 230,016 bales.

The exports for the week reach a total of 138,573 bales, of which 92,446 were to Great Britain, 2,849 to France and 43,278 to the rest of the continent. The total sales for forward delivery for the week are 392,900 bales. For immediate delivery the total sales foot up 473 bales for the week, including 455 for consumption and 18 for speculation.

The imports into continental ports have been 20,000 bales. These figures indicate a decrease in the cotton in sight tonight of 155,880 bales as compared with the same date of 1887, an increase of 33,470 bales as compared with the corresponding date of 1886 and a decrease of 44,789 bales as compared with 1885.

The total receipts from the plantations since September 1, 1887, are 4,582,832 bales; in 1886-7, were 4,200,634 bales; in 1885-6 were 4,270,355. Although the receipts of the outports the past week were 159,308 bales, the actual movement from the plantations was only 127,229 bales, the balance being taken from the stocks at the interior towns. Last year the receipts from the plantations were 128,731 bales, and for 1886, they were 123,833 bales. The increase in amount in sight as compared with last year is 54,768 bales, the increase as compared with 1885-6 is 57,026 bales, and the increase over 1884-5 is 806,416 bales.

The Chronicle says that the speculation in cotton for future delivery at New York has been sluggish for the week under review and prices show some decline. The opening on Tuesday morning was comparatively steady on a strong Liverpool report, with the statistical position regarded as very favorable to the views of the bull party, but the receipts at the ports were unexpectedly free, exceeding the corresponding dates last year, and caused some selling to great concern to the people.

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The Poultry and Bench Show.

What a bewildering bow-wow and cackle the poultry and bench show presents.

Such a sight was never seen in Georgia before. There are chickens that weigh twelve pounds, and chickens that weigh three to the pound. There are turkeys, ducks, geese, guineas, and every variety of feathered biped from a bronze gobbler weighing forty-nine pounds to a canary—more yellow—weighing less than an ounce.

As for the dogs, there is no end of them. Bull dogs and greyhounds, mastiffs and pugs, poodles and setters, of every variety and degree. The method of exhibition is much better than ever before, wire cloth being drawn in front of each kennel.

In pet stock there are hundreds of pigeons, parrots, rabbits, guinea pigs and every variety of bird. Many of the specimens of poultry are imported from across the water. One Philadelphia breeder alone brings over 100 flocks.

The show was worthy in every respect. Indeed, the Atlanta show now ranks next to Indianapolis and New York. See its array of judges. Messrs. Wood, of Chicago, and Nevins, of Philadelphia, for poultry; Taylor, of Ohio, and Rockhorn, of New York, for dogs; and Ewald, of Cincinnati, for pigeons. These are the best and highest priced judges in the country, and their reputations draw the best of exhibitors. Our people should patronize this show liberally and repeatedly. A half-hour cannot be spent more pleasantly or profitably than in the poultry and bench show! Go, and carry your folks!

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As a PARISIAN, Brother Blaine appears to take the cake.

An Enthusiastic Crank.

General Clinton B. Fisk, a prominent prohibition enthusiast, has gotten himself into hot water by one of his cranky freaks.

As a grand political probability, rally subscriptions were called for to the general fund and a great many contributions were made.

General Fisk, in an outburst of enthusiasm, announced that he would subscribe one hundred dollars "for Mrs. Cleveland." This was greeted with tremendous applause, as very naturally it should have been.

It turns out that the well known sentimental political prohibitionist gave the amount of his own accord and that Mrs. Cleveland knew nothing of it.

General Fisk now explains that the subscription was his own, but was given in honor of Mrs. Cleveland not having offered wife to her New Year's guests, or something to that effect.

The general should be more careful how he uses other people's names in his political meetings.

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WHILE the republicans are looking forward for a candidate, they should not forget Aruckle. Here is a man whose heart is full of love and his whiskers full of dye. He would make an admirable candidate.

The Barbed Wire Monopoly.

An interesting suit, involving millions of dollars, has recently been concluded in the United States court at Dubuque, Iowa. In the decision of Judge Shivas the validity of the barbed wire patents owned by the Washburn and Moen company, is nullified, and unless the supreme court, to which, of course, the wealthy claimants will appeal, reverse the decision, the days of the barbed wire monopoly are numbered.

The evidence in the case shows that Alvin Morely, an Iowa crank, who had been confined in an insane asylum, originated the idea of twisting wire around short steel bars and exhibited his invention at a county fair as far back as 1850. Fifteen years later another party obtained letters patent for the same design and sold them to the Washburn and Moen company, which has since had a monopoly in the manufacture of barbed wire and has made millions of dollars from it. The blacksmith who twisted Morely's bars was put on the stand and in a few minutes constructed designs of the tools with which he made the original

of the office, which above all others, should be free from politics, and which Platt has used for personal ends at the threatened sacrifice of the city to contagion and disease, brought on by inefficient and corrupt quarantine management.

JAMES R. DAVIS, a colored man of Atlanta, has written a paper for the Church Review, colored, on "The Causes Leading to the Decay of Roman Eloquence." This is an ancient and a mouldy theme. Perhaps James could tell Halstead something about the decay of the republican party in the south.

Governor Brown's Speech.

We print elsewhere a very meager synopsis of Senator Brown's speech, delivered in the senate yesterday. He spoke to a resolution offered by him at the opening of the session after the holiday recess, and his remarks attracted a great deal of attention.

It will be seen, even from the unsatisfactory synopsis which we present, that the senator treated the subject not only with great clearness and simplicity, but that he threw an entirely new light on the inquiry of the internal revenue system. The Constitution has all along claimed that the system is undemocratic, and Senator Brown showed conclusively that Jefferson, the founder of the democratic party, was opposed to the laying of excise taxes, and was in favor of their repeal the moment the emergency that called them into existence had passed away.

We commend the synopsis, unsatisfactory as it is, to the attention of our readers. Practically, it leaves no ground for any true democrat to stand on in opposition to the repeal of the infamous excise laws.

Senator Brown shows that during the last twenty-two years the state of Georgia has paid into the United States treasury, on account of the internal revenue laws, a sum amounting to twenty-two and three-quarter millions of dollars, which is about one million dollars a year paid by the people of Georgia under this system.

As the senator shows, if this tax had been paid into the state treasury, it would very nearly have met the expenses of the state. At any rate, it would leave the homes and property of the farmers almost free from taxation. All this is fully explained in our telegraphic synopsis, and it is a matter of great concern to the people.

This is the democratic season. All Jeffersonian democrats are in favor of the repeal of the internal revenue laws.

The Poultry and Bench Show.

What a bewildering bow-wow and cackle the poultry and bench show presents.

Such a sight was never seen in Georgia before. There are chickens that weigh twelve pounds, and chickens that weigh three to the pound. There are turkeys, ducks, geese, guineas, and every variety of feathered biped from a bronze gobbler weighing forty-nine pounds to a canary—more yellow—weighing less than an ounce.

As for the dogs, there is no end of them. Bull dogs and greyhounds, mastiffs and pugs, poodles and setters, of every variety and degree. The method of exhibition is much better than ever before, wire cloth being drawn in front of each kennel.

In pet stock there are hundreds of pigeons, parrots, rabbits, guinea pigs and every variety of bird. Many of the specimens of poultry are imported from across the water. One Philadelphia breeder alone brings over 100 flocks.

The show was worthy in every respect. Indeed, the Atlanta show now ranks next to Indianapolis and New York. See its array of judges. Messrs. Wood, of Chicago, and Nevins, of Philadelphia, for poultry; Taylor, of Ohio, and Rockhorn, of New York, for dogs; and Ewald, of Cincinnati, for pigeons. These are the best and highest priced judges in the country, and their reputations draw the best of exhibitors. Our people should patronize this show liberally and repeatedly. A half-hour cannot be spent more pleasantly or profitably than in the poultry and bench show! Go, and carry your folks!

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

"A Good Man's Mischief."

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THE SOCIAL MIRROR.

Happenings of a Day Among the Society People.

ENTERTAINMENTS AND GATHERINGS.

The Leap Year Party in Albany Proves a Brilliant Affair—Personal and Other Gossip.

The leap year dinner given by the ladies of Albany Friday evening at the hall was one of the most elegant affairs ever given in the city and one of the most enjoyable. The hall was tastefully decorated with evergreens, interspersed with Japanese lanterns, parsons and other ornaments, making a very bright and pretty effect. The ladies called in their men at an early hour. This was before the men ate their dinner, the gallant gentlemen a laudable example of promptness. Many new and graceful figures were introduced.

The meal was led by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tiff. Among the couples participating were:

Mrs. Anna C. Weston and Mr. W. Weston; Miss Leah Kendall and Mr. A. J. Lipps.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Pope.

Miss Nannie Davis and Mr. R. L. Jones.

Miss Little Bell with Mr. W. H. Birrell.

Miss Linda Hay with Mr. R. Davis.

Miss F. L. Wilder.

Miss Johnnie Davis with Mr. H. Frank Shefield.

Miss India Hunter with Mr. H. Not Parker.

Miss Gertrude Bellington with Mr. J. W. Ford.

Miss Anna C. Weston and Mr. W. H. Woodward.

Miss V. Bennett with Mr. V. Vass.

Miss Chloe Bell White with Mr. Henry Turner.

Miss Nannie Plant with Mr. Ed. Collier.

Miss Anna Weller with Mr. H. H. Hoge.

Miss Minnie Ulrich with Mr. George Oliver.

Miss M. in Conflict with Mr. W. W. Till.

Miss Anna C. Weston and Mr. H. H. Attillio.

Miss Kate Yaney with Mr. L. E. Welch, Jr.

Miss Ruth Oliver with Mr. Geo. Forrester.

Miss Anna C. Weston and Mr. W. W. Moore.

Miss Alice Rawson with Mr. Glenn Owen.

Miss Mollie Comely with Mr. R. L. Weston.

Miss Annie Henderson with Mr. J. S. Deal.

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Miss R. Stut with Mr. N. F. Tiff.

Miss G. M. Clark with Mr. S. B. Wright.

Miss Anna C. Weston and Mr. W. H. Neeson.

Miss J. T. Hester with Mr. H. H. Collier.

Sage—Messrs. O. T. Tave, C. M. Shuckelford, Sam Gillard, C. A. Ericksen, W. D. Mann, L. Lowe, Joe Gilbert.

Chaperones—Mrs. and Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, Mrs. J. W. Ford, Mrs. J. S. Deal, Mrs. and Mrs. J. B. Beall.

Two special favors were drawn for and won, respectively, by Mr. J. D. Pope and Miss Lulu Tarver.

The young people of Father McMahons' parish gathered in the parochial school rooms on Martin Street last evening to listen to a literary programme by the "Sacred Heart" branch of the E. B. Catholic literary and dramatic union.

Several recitations, songs, etc., were creditably rendered.

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Showing the arrival and departure of all trains from this city—Central Time.

EAST TENN. VA. & GA. R.Y.

ARRIVE,	DEPART,
No. 14—from Savannah, Brunswick and Jackson ville.... 7:20 a.m.	No. 12—for Rome, Knox ville, Cincinnati, Nas sville, and Memphis.... 10 a.m.
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No. 14—from Cincinnati and Nashville.... 6:30 p.m.	No. 14—from Cincinnati and Nashville.... 7 p.m.
No. 16—from Savannah, Brunswick and Jackson ville.... 10 a.m.	No. 16—from Savannah, Brunswick and Jackson ville.... 6 a.m.
No. 16—from New Orleans, Knoxville, Cincinnati, Nas sville, and Memphis.... 10:20 p.m.	No. 16—for Knoxville, New Orleans, and Atlanta.... 6 p.m.
No. 12—from Hawkinsville, Ga., and Macon.... 6:30 a.m.	No. 11—for Macon and Hawkinsville.... 5:30 p.m.

CENTRAL RAILROAD.

From Smyrna.... 7:15 a.m. To Savannah.... 6:50 a.m.	To Macon.... 10:30 a.m.
Brownsville.... 9:45 a.m. To Macon.... 12:30 p.m.	Brownsville.... 9:45 a.m. To Macon.... 12:30 p.m.
Hartwell.... 10:30 a.m. To Montezuma.... 2:30 p.m.	Hartwell.... 10:30 a.m. To Montezuma.... 2:30 p.m.
Hopkinton.... 10:30 a.m. To Barnesville.... 3:00 p.m.	Hopkinton.... 10:30 a.m. To Barnesville.... 3:00 p.m.
Sav.... 10:30 a.m. To Barnesville.... 3:00 p.m.	Sav.... 10:30 a.m. To Barnesville.... 3:00 p.m.
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WILLIS AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD.

From Chattooga.... 5:30 a.m. To Chattanooga.... 7:50 a.m.	To Chattooga.... 5:30 a.m.
Chattooga.... 5:30 a.m. To Rome.... 3:45 p.m.	Chattooga.... 5:30 a.m. To Rome.... 3:45 p.m.
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ATLANTA AND WEST POINT RAILROAD.

From Monticello.... 6:15 a.m. To Montezuma.... 12:30 p.m.	To West Point.... 4:55 p.m.
Montezuma.... 1:30 p.m. To Montezuma.... 5:15 p.m.	Montezuma.... 1:30 p.m. To Montezuma.... 5:15 p.m.
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PIEDMONT AIR-LINE.

From Lula.... 8:25 a.m. To Charlotte.... 7:30 a.m.	To Charlotte.... 7:30 a.m.
From Lula.... 10:30 a.m. To Atlanta.... 12:30 p.m.	To Atlanta.... 12:30 p.m.
From Charlotte.... 9:45 a.m. To Atlanta.... 12:30 p.m.	To Atlanta.... 12:30 p.m.
From Atlanta.... 12:30 p.m. To Lula.... 6:00 p.m.	To Lula.... 6:00 p.m.
From Atlanta.... 6:00 p.m. To Atlanta.... 6:00 p.m.	To Atlanta.... 6:00 p.m.

GEORGIA PACIFIC RAILROAD.

From Starkville.... 6:15 a.m. To Birming ham.... 1:25 p.m.	To Tallapoosa.... 7:30 a.m. To Decatur.... 10:30 a.m.
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